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Items of Interest Gathered From  
Here and There

P. Haught and Lars Horghheim went out Saturday for a deer hunt.

Mr. Winter of Portland, is here on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. F. Matheson.

There was a pleasant social hop at Red Men's Hall last Saturday evening.

The familiar countenance of Louis Levi appears again, after an absence of several months.

The first fall of "the beautiful" to cover the ground came Saturday night, when about three inches fell here.

Last Saturday was Hallowe'en, but there was not much of the "all saints" work in evidence Sunday morning.

The Seattle had a large passenger list when she called here Monday, but had room for several southbound passengers from Wrangell.

The whistle of the good ship *Hum-  
boldt* sounded familiar when she called here Tuesday, the first time since her recent accident.

An extended search for John Coon's launch, which drifted out of the bay last week, has failed to decide the fate of the little craft.

Wrangell people were all glad when the break came in the cold weather, last Sunday evening, as the water barrels were getting empty.

The press is usually asked to get the election news over the wires, but this publisher was not approached in regard to the matter this time.

Will Royalty has bought the Kennedy property on Stikine Avenue from L. C. Patenaude, and is making some improvements to the buildings.

Olaf Otterson, watchman at the cannery went to Seattle a few weeks ago, and returned on the Humboldt with bride. Congratulations, Olaf.

Forest Supervisor W. A. Langille arrived here Monday evening, in the neat little launch, *Spray*, while on an official reconnaissance of the islands embraced in the reserve.

A little after six o'clock Sunday evening the fire bell clanged long and loud, caused by a slight blaze at the house of Mrs. Lott. Mrs. Buey gave the alarm by ringing the school bell.

Mr. Lemieux has fixed up a coal shed next door to the Woodbridge & Lowery marble works, and has on hand a big supply of the best coal ever brought to Wrangell. See him before buying your coal for winter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bennett left for their home at Spokane, Wash., on the City of Seattle, after Mr. B. has put in a most successful summer as head sawyer at the Wrangell sawmill. Their many friends hope to see them back in Wrangell again.

The City of Seattle left here Monday afternoon for the south, but after going out several miles the master concluded that the soncaster was too strong to tackle in Clarence Straits, and the ship came back to Wrangell and tied up at the wharf over night.

Messrs. Cliney and James and their wives arrived down the Stikine last week, after several weeks' hunting and trapping. They got down just in time to avoid being frozen in, as the river closed up close behind them. Mr. C. got some fine photos. See his ad.

Mr. Lars Horghheim is at home again on a visit to his family, having come up from Ketchikan on the Seattle last week. Mr. Horghheim is one of our most desirable citizens, and it is to be regretted that he can not secure work here that would keep him at home with his family all the time.

Fred Willson and Fred Johnston went up to Admiralty Island a week or two ago in quest of bear, but, our informant says, brought in only one deer each. He also says that when the steamer called for them, one of the Freds was up a tree with a bear at the bottom.

Sam Cunningham's new launch, the *Scipio*, was given her maiden voyage last Saturday. The boat is complete in every detail, and is built purposely for use in the rough Alaskan waters. Sam and Peter Jensen are off in the new craft for a week at Duncan Canal.

Don't forget the place and date—the public school house, Saturday, November 7, at 2:30 p. m., sharp. Everybody is invited to be present.

Keep your mind on that spelling school matter.

The ex-wife of Swiftwater Bill Gates committed suicide at Valdez a week or two ago, and Gates paid all the expenses of shipment and burial.

### MRS. HART WILL ORGANIZE AUXILIARY

Mrs. Mary E. Hart, special agent of education, art and women's work of the A. Y. P. E., arrived in Wrangell on the City of Seattle, Monday, and at once began preliminary steps towards forming an auxiliary at this place.

Successful organizations have so far been effected at Cordova, Katala, Seward, Valdez, Ketchikan, Metlakatla and other points, and a good exhibit of the progressive features of Alaska is as-

Mrs. Hart was formerly hostess of the Alaska building at the St. Louis exposi-

### TREASURER'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the tax roll of the Town of Wrangell, Alaska, for the year of 1908, has been placed in my hands for collection.

Any and all of such taxes not paid on or before the hour of 6 o'clock p. m., on Wednesday, December 30, 1908, shall become delinquent, and a penalty of five per centum of such tax will be added thereto, as provided by law and ordinances in such cases.

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tion and had charge of the exhibits throughout the fair. She will deliver an address at the public school house at 2:30 p. m. on Saturday, November 7, explaining what is desired by the Department of the Interior, and what has so far been accomplished. Every lady resident of Wrangell is urged to be present as there are inducements of special interest to be presented, and our ladies will certainly not be behind in any movement that tends to the advancement of our section.

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At the time of going to press the election returns were incomplete. Enough returns have come in, however, to show that Taf is been elected president by safe majorities in nearly all the states. Hughes, republican, is re-elected governor of New York by an enormous plurality. Johnson was re-elected to the governor's chair in Minnesota. The cable station remained open nearly all of Tuesday night, and bulletins were posted every few minutes at various places in town.

Arrangements have been made with L. C. Patenaude for the erection of a good substantial building on his lot across the street from the public school house for the installation of the plant. When this plant is working it will put us in com-

Petersburg; and then if Uncle Sam could be prevailed upon to put in a station at some point on the west coast, he would be doing a great favor to a large number of people in that section.

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Why wait until a man's dead to speak well of him?

Should the chauffeur be arrested for scorching on a hot day?

If women were allowed to vote, the best looking man would win.

Boasting of their strong points is a weakness with some people.

Ever notice how narrow-minded most people are who argue with you?

It's easier for a woman to talk on any subject than it is for her to stop.

A confidence man naturally has no confidence in any man but himself.

A man must have an awful lot of money to enable him to dress as well as his wife does.

A cranky bachelor says that heaven is probably so called because there are no marriages there.

John D. Rockefeller is writing his own biography. Wonder if he is burning the midnight oil over it?

Many a married woman's idea of a stylish hat is one that costs more than her husband can afford to pay.

It's a lucky turn for the theatrical manager when he is compelled to turn people away from the box office.

"Is strawberry shortcake healthy?" asks a correspondent. Who cares as long as it's possible to experiment with it?

Even when James Hazen Hyde was running things the Equitable didn't fly quite as high as a sixty-two story building.

Young man, don't express a willingness to die for a girl during courtship and then refuse to work for her after marriage.

A man's collar may wilt and run down the back of his neck, but he is still all right if his temper only remains intact.

Some people, it seems, can celebrate the glorious Fourth of July in an unsafe and insane manner without a penny's worth of explosives.

And now it is said that Mrs. Hetty Green is not the richest woman in the world. Still, she doesn't have to worry every time the price of meat makes one of its phenomenal jumps.

Russia has secured a toe-hold in Persia and is quite certain to insert her foot. Meanwhile Europe will go right on being filled with fear that Germany will grab something somewhere unless she is constantly watched.

For reasons that have been discussed thousands of times and perhaps for thousands of years without reaching a satisfactory conclusion men who are honest in all other business relations will cheat in taxes of any and all kinds. The municipality, the State and the nation, real and personal estate, tariff and internal levies, all are clipped of their fair proportions by men whom their closest friends implicitly trust. The suggestion that comes nearest to an explanation of the all-pervading idea that it is permissible in an honest man to cheat the government is that it is natural to regard the individual in a very different light from that in which an organization of individuals is viewed. Just as a soldier who would hesitate to shoot a single soldier of the enemy's force unless compelled to do so by peril of life will cheerfully fire at a line of battle, so a man who sacredly respects individual property rights will cheat his government.

In describing his own career Joel Chandler Harris said: "It was an accident that I went to The Countryman, an accident that I wrote 'Uncle Remus' and an accident that the stories put forth under that name struck the popular fancy." He added that he had had no literary training that he knew nothing at all of what was termed literary art and that he had had no opportunity to nourish literary ambitions. But he did have a keen eye for character, a keen sense of humor. He knew the negroes and he knew his own people. He knew children also and had the gift of story telling and imagination that carried a charm with it. So he became an interpreter of a time and of types that are passing away and wrote stories that have delighted thousands and that will live. The important thing is that he wrote as he did because he had something to say. In this respect he was like the author of a famous classic in natural history who did not know that a line of his immortal letters would be published when he penned them. Such writers are few. The writers of literary training are many, but their art is of little avail unless back of it there is real substance.

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article that the professional woman has proved a failure. Official data show that woman has entered into competition in practically all the callings and occupations of men, and in industry, at any rate, her "emancipation" is now complete. Yet, according to Mrs. Newell, "she has not made good." She has disappointed her champions. It seems that she cannot "stand alone, successful unanxious upon her own work." Almost nowhere in high places do we find women, and now, as in the pre-emancipation era, "men are the great financiers, cooks, teachers, managers." The indictment is sweeping and supported by few facts. What is the writer's test of success? Freedom from anxiety? In that case few men succeed. The occupation of high places? There are few such places in any calling and only a few can reach them. The great majority of men must needs be satisfied with modest work and modest measures of success. Have women failed as physicians and surgeons, as managers of hospitals and clinics and sanitariums? Certainly not. In the medical profession women stand very high, though they have had nothing but indifference and opposition from most men and most women. In teaching men have almost been superseded by women, and the latter are not regarded as failures in education even by those who would like to see an increase in the number of men in that profession. In letters, in the fine arts, in the theater, on the opera and concert stage women are succeeding marvelously. It is unnecessary to name the great women singers, the great actresses, the pianists and violinists of the fair sex. It would be equally superfluous to make a list of women novelists, essayists, poets, critics, etc. To say that the women have no Shakespeare or Beethoven or Michael Angelo among them is to repeat an overworked and hackneyed argument that proves nothing—or too much. How many men of such genius have there been in history? Have women had sufficient time and opportunity to demonstrate that first-rate work is beyond their powers? Mrs. Newell herself says that "brilliant women got half the mental assistance from husbands and brothers that many men get from wives and sisters," it is probable that she would be called upon to dwell on their success. What, then, becomes of the assertion that the professional woman has failed to make good?



Occasionally a couple marry and live happily ever after they are divorced.

A girl should never sit in a man's lap without his asking her permission.

One of the easiest things is to marry a girl because she made you think you wanted to.

It's awfully hard to be popular with yourself and please your neighbors at the same time.

When the average man fails to make good he begins to look around for some one to blame it on.

Maybe the reason some women don't hesitate to color their hair is because generally it isn't theirs.

One of the most intelligent things about a widow is she can learn what she knows all over again.

It's because a married man does the things his wife wants him to do is no sign that he is stuck on the job.

When a man can tell the truth to his wife about where he spent the evening it's because he stayed home with her.

The maddest girl in the world is the one who ate onions because she was sure nobody was going to call, and then he came.

With the waning of the honeymoon Cupid again gets busy and substitutes a pair of green goggles for the rose-colored glasses.—New York Press.

People would like to save money by using it on things that are worth while so as to be able to spend it on things that are not worth while.—New York Press.

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Absent Minded. "But how did Horace come to refuse Albert?" "You know she is private stenographer to an editor, and when he proposed by mail, from force of habit she sent his letter back with a slip saying: 'We regret that the inclosed is unsuitable, etc.'—Kansas City Times.

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## A WOMAN AND HER DIVORCE.

HE weakness of our divorce laws is well shown by the action of a Minnesota judge, who, on granting a woman her fifth divorce, forbade her ever to marry again. He couched his decision in severe terms, and one hearing them might think they meant something. As a matter of fact, they were

so much wind. The woman can board a train and in a few minutes be outside of Minnesota, where marriage for her is perfectly legal.

Illinois has a divorce law which forbids persons divorced from contracting another alliance within one year, or from returning to the State within that time to live in matrimony with a person married outside of the State. But the law has no practical effect.

This state of affairs will continue so long as there is no uniform divorce law in all the States. So far as divorce laws are concerned, the States are so many various nations, each having jurisdiction within its own territory, but nowhere else.

The States should appoint commissions to hold a meeting, agree upon a uniform divorce law and recommend it to legislatures. When every State has the same divorce law as every other our divorce scandals will cease. Steps to that end should be taken without loss of time, for, as Cardinal Luge and other observers have truly said, divorce is the one great menace to the nation's safety.—Chicago Journal.

## DANGEROUS EXHIBITIONS.

HE time has come for a note of warning regarding certain public exhibitions that are becoming increasingly popular—those where the performer earns his livelihood by deliberately risking his life. The interest to the onlookers in these performances arises from the fact that life for a moment hangs by a hair. Agility, muscularity, beauty of movement have become secondary, whether the feat is "looping the loop," riding the bicycle round and round the sloping sides of a huge basket with no bottom to it, or taking chances in a cage with some wild beast. It is one and the same appeal to something within us that craves unhealthy excitement.

It is true that the "gladiator" in these days does generally escape with his life, but the quality of the amusement demanded proves us akin to those far-off ancestors whose one idea of a good holiday was a batch of Christians and plenty of wild beasts.

Nothing grows so quickly by what it feeds on as this demand for excitement, and it is well understood by the caterers to the public taste that the "shocker" of to-day is the platitude of to-morrow. For a season we could hardly believe in "looping the loop," but the dish rapidly grew insipid, and tabasco had to be added, so the loop was looped in a motor car, then in a motor car with a piece of the track removed, and so on.

The "thumbs down" of the ancients is represented to day by the girl who stops chewing gum long enough to

remark indifferently to her escort, "Well, ain't he got the nerve!" as the trainer enters his den of beasts still wearing the bandages left from his last encounter.

If these things must be, let us at least spare the little children. They need the placid quiet of their childhood, with its simple pleasures, just as they need bread and milk. Bad taste as well as good grows by what it feeds on, and your child does not really need to have Christians butchered for his holiday any more than he needs curried lobster and champagne.—Youth's Companion.

## IF THE FLEET COULD BE PAWNED.

HE \$180,000,000 invested in the warships which visited San Francisco harbor would irrigate 8,000,000 acres of arid land, and provide homes for 120,000 families, giving to each family fifty acres of land. That amount of money would build a railroad from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and such a road, owned by the people, would squeeze every drop of water out of the railroads of the country.

That amount of money, properly spent, would go far toward relieving the people of the tremendous monopoly burden now resting on their backs. That amount of money would build from sixty to 100 great electric power plants for the people, and free them from a monopoly that is now skinning them.

Instead of building more warships, isn't it time to call a halt? With tens of thousands of our citizens begging for an opportunity to live a honest life, isn't it time to call a halt on this wicked waste of money and energy? If we are going more and more into the warship business, let us be honest and pull down our churches. If we are to glorify war, let us quit glorifying the Prince of Peace. Let us quit being hypocrites.—San Francisco Star.

## CONDUCT OF A JUDGE.

JUDGE JESSE HOLDOM, Chief Justice of the Appellate Court, Illinois, declared before the State Bar Association that a judge, "like a bishop, should be the husband of only one wife," be wary of affinities, avoid the life of the roisteron, not associate with persons of known evil life, and not seek political preferment while still a wearer of the ermine.

Because all this is elementary information, the judicial authorities mentioned being generally accepted, several Chicago judges have hastened to deny that the distinguished jurist indulged in such broad strictures without being more specific. They feel that if Holdom hadn't meant to reflect on somebody near at home, he would not have spoken as he did, although no one will deny that he has laid down a rule of conduct at which no upright, patriotic judge can cavil. But all the same he has stirred up a veritable tempest of protests, which makes all the more suspect the timeliness of his utterances.

Toledo Blade.

hair any more than you are, or sandy hair, either. In the second place, I wasn't going out with her. She was going the same way I was and that's all the same was to it. We wasn't with each other more than five minutes. She'll tell you the same thing if you ask her.

"I guess she'd tell me 'most anything," I says. "What would I want to ask her for? I don't care whether you was with her five minutes or all the evenin'. It don't make the least difference to me. I guess you'd better go see her now; she may be wishin' you was there. Don't lose any time. Good-bye."

"Did he go?" asked the girl with the genuine coral necklace.

"Not right then," replied the girl with the lop-sided pompadour. "He stayed. I guess Maggie made a great tale about nothin', but I gave him to understand that it didn't make me jealous anyway. I told him, says I, 'Whether it's straight or not,' I says, 'It don't make one particle of diff'rence to me.'—Chicago Daily News.

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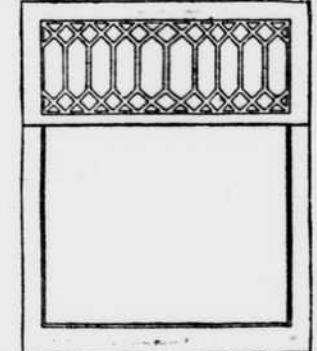
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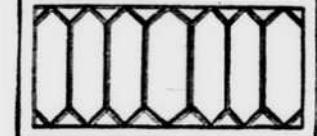
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1812—Sweden concluded an alliance with England.

1829—The directors of the Bank of the United States declared a dividend of 8 1/4 per cent.

1830—Chartist riot in Birmingham, England.

1840—Treaty of London between the Sultan and Mehemet Ali.

1849—Vice President Millard Fillmore assumed the presidency of the United States.

1862—Gen. Halleck appointed commander of all the land forces of the United States.

1863—United States ship Wyoming sank three Japanese ships in battle at Shimonoseki.

1873—Communist rising in Spain.

1883—Chilians defeated the Peruvians with great loss at Huamachuco.

1884—Democratic national convention nominated Cleveland and Hendricks.

1885—International park at Niagara Falls opened.

1890—The President signed the Wyoming admission bill....Wyoming territory became a State.

1894—Earthquake at Constantinople, with loss of 200 lives.

1895—Gen. Nicola Pierola elected President of Peru....Henry M. Stanley elected to the British Parliament.

1898—Admiral Cervera and other officers of the Spanish fleet reached Annanpolis, as prisoners of war.

1902—Mine disaster at Johnstown, Pa., resulted in loss of 114 lives....The Porte demanded the suppression of Cretan money with Prince George's effigy.

1903—Cuban Senate ratified the treaty giving the United States control and naval stations on the island.

1906—Dreyfus finally acquitted by the court of cassation....The seventy-fifth anniversary of Belgian Independence celebrated in Brussels.

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Take thought before you condemn the paper that operates as a barrier between you and wrong, for first of all public agencies, it is entitled to fair play.

All the teachers of Indian schools under the government in Southeastern Alaska met in conference during September at Juneau, under Mr. Updegraff, special agent of native education in Alaska and Mr. Thompson, District Superintendent. This was the first conference of the kind and is reported to have been very helpful indeed. Hereafter the teachers are expected to take a large interest in native life and society. They are not to be bound by a curriculum confined to books. They are to teach the children cleanliness and industry. The girls are to learn to sew and cook, the boys to do things. The teacher is to be, as he ought and will if he has an opportunity, a sort of father to the settlement, especially when there is no mission. Each teacher was advised that, in case of there being a mission in his village, he should not hinder its work even if he could not help it. We look for better results from the schools under such methods. If the teacher

had some sort of authority to enforce simple sanitary laws when the people are at home, we believe consumption would be checked very effectively. One thing more that the Indian needs is to be taught how to care for the small infant. Many a child dies for want of care. The Indian mother has become a poor white in the rearing of children. They are a prolific race, but the death rate is appalling. At this point the mission school has advantages over the government system. In one mission we know of the death rate has been arrested and actually converted so that the people are slightly on the increase.

—Nov. Cross-Bearer.

When the boycott against this paper was instituted, it was claimed by some of the promoters of the boycott that THE PEOPLE would not stand for the manner in which the paper dealt with matters of public concern. But we find that THE PEOPLE comprises not only the promoters of the boycott, but a great majority of the citizens of the community and section. That this is true is proven by the sentiment expressed by our subscribers. Some of these subscribers are sufficiently loyal to the paper to cause them to do their trading at the places of business whose ads. appear in the paper; and we know of one party who last week bought over a hundred dollars' worth of goods from a place of business which did not enter the boycott, which amount would have gone to another place had the boycott not occurred.

This goes to show that THE PEOPLE favor the paper, and that those who went into that collusion "cut off their noses to spite their faces." We do not say this by way of ridiculing or gloating over any person, for we feel that it is justice to say that the men who entered the boycott did so without stopping to think what odium such a course would cast upon the community's business circles. Had the paper made a statement that would have damaged the business or society interests of the town or section, such a boycott would have been justified. But the fact that the paper's effort has been toward the improvement of those interests, is all the more reason why the business men ought to have stood behind the paper and said "Well done, good and faithful servant," rather than to withdraw their support in an effort to drive out the most important factor in the development of the section.

The Wrangell Chamber of Commerce now has an opportunity of working for a matter which is of much importance to Wrangell and the West Coast. It is assured that a wireless telegraph station is to be established here in the near future, and if proper and united effort were put forth, we believe the government could be prevailed upon to establish one or two stations on the west coast. Such a move on the government's part would relieve a condition which has heretofore existed, and would be of mutual benefit to both sections. As the west coast country develops and builds up, telegraphic communication with the outside will become a necessity, and it is to our advantage to bring about such communication as soon as possible.

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